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#### BANKS AND BANKING.

The committee on Banks and Banking will give a public hearing in the Bank Examiners' Roam, at the State House, on Wednesday, February 20, at 2 o'clock, p. m. on an act to amend chapter 258, section 2, of the Fublic Laws of '98, for determining the value of the several franchises on Savings Banks, On an Act entitled an Act to amend chapter 47, section 99, of R. S., relating to deposits in Savings Banks.

F. H. PARKHURST, feb6dtd Secretary of Committee.

#### LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The joint select committee on Eastern Maine Insane Hospital will give a public hearing at the tate House Tuesday even-ing Feb. 12, on a resolve in favor of addi-tions to the Maine Insane Hospital at Augusta. FREDERICK H. PARKHURST Sec'y. feb6dtd

#### LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Judiciary will give a public hearing at their room in the State House, Wednesday, Feb. 13, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., on an act to legalize the consolidation of the York Mutual Aid Association, the Kennebec Mutual Life Insurance Co. and the Orient Mutual Life Insurance Co.

By order of Committee. By order of Committee. W. J. KNOWLTON, Secretary.

### LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Judiciary will give public earings at their room in the State House as Monday Feb. 18, 1895. at 7.30 o'clock P. M. Petition of Arthur T. Hall and 153 others for repeal of the existing laws relating to the manufacture and sale of Oleomargarine, and the enacting of other laws relating thereto. acting of other laws relating thereto.

Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M.
An act mendatory of Sec. 15, of Chap. 27 of the
R. S., as amended by chap. 140 of the public
laws of 1887, relating to sale of liquors by

State Agency. Wednesday, Feb. 20. 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M. Wednesday, Feb. 20. 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M. An act to provide pure, unadulterated intoxicating liquors for lawful sale within this state, and to repeal Section 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 of Chap. 27. R. S., relating to the State Agency for the sale of intoxicating liquors.

Thursday, Feb. 21, 1895, at 2 o'clock P. M. Resolve for an amendment to the Constitution abrogating amendment five relating to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors.

By order of the Committee.

W. J. KNOWLTON, See'y.

### LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Judiciary will give a public hearing at their rooms in the State House, WEDNESDAY, February 20, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., on an act to extend the charter of the Portiand & Yarmouth Electric Railway Co.

By order of Committee.

W. J. KNOWLTON, Sec'y.

## LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Shore Fisheries will give a public hearing at their room in the State House WEDNESDAY, Feb. 20, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock P. M. on petition of Orrin McFadden et als. to repeal Chap. 249, laws of 1893, relating to deep seining in the bays and harbors.

By order of Committee.

H. T. CROCKETT, Secretary.

# LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on State Lands and State Roads will give a public hearing at the Land Office on WEDNESDAY, Feb. 20th. at 2 o'clock P. M., on resolve suthorizing the Land Agent to sell a part of Williams Island in Free-part.

#### L. O. DUDLEY, Sec'y pro. tem. LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

THE Committee on Judiciary will give a public hearing at their room in the State House, THURSDAY, Feb. 28, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the petition of 51 physicians and 256 others of Portland, for an "Act to establish a Commission of Streets and Sewers in the City of Portland."

On an Act to establish a Commission of Public Works in the City of Portland.

By order of Committe,

W. J. KNOWLTON, Secretary.

### LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The committee on Legal Affairs will give a public hearing at their room in the State House, February 20, 1885, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the petition asking that a law be enacted so that persons sending newspapers, magazines or periodicals after the paid up subscription therefor shall have expired shall do so at their own risk.

By order of Committee.

By OHN HOWARD HILL, Secretary.

### LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The committee on Judiciary will give public hearings at their room in the State House, as follows: Wednesday, February 27, 1855, at 2 o'clock p. m. On petitions for amendment to the Constitution prohibiting appropriations by the State in aid of institutions under sectarian or ecclesiastical control.

control:
On Tue sday, February 12, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m. On an Act to amend Section 15, of chapter 259 of the Public Laws of 1893, relating to itinerant vendors.
On Friday, February 8, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m. On an Act to allow only graduates of Veterinary colleges or schools to practice.
By order of Committee,
W. J. KNOWLTON, Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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Taxation of Vessel Property, Wild Lands

E. P. Gurney, Yarmouth.

and Express Companies. The Joint Special Committee on Taxation will hold a hearing in the hall of the House of Representatives:
Tuesday, Feb. 12, at 7.30 p. m. On bill an act relating to taxation of vesse

property.

Tuesday, Feb. 12, 7.30 p. m.

On bill an act relating to State taxes on organized plantations taxed as wild lands.

On bill an act to amend Sect. 69 of Chap. 6 of the Revised Statutes relating to taxes on lands in places not incorporated.

On Resolve in favor of town of Dexter.

On bill an ct relating to taxation of express corporations, companies or persons.

Per order,

Z. A. GILBERT, Sec. y. property.

# LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

Insurance Brokers.

An act reating to the inspection of buidings so as to lessen the danger from fires.

A petition for the incorporation of the Garrield Life Insurance company.

#### Per order of Committee. J. P. HUTCHINSON, Secretary. LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Judiciary will give a public hearing at their room in the State House, Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., on the petition for repeal of the hawkers' and peddlers' law.

By order of Committee. W. J. KNOWLTON, Secretary. LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The committee on Towns will give a public hearin at their room in the State House, February 14, 1895, at 2 o'clock p. m., on petition of E. F. Hill and 24 others. together with six other petitions for the division of the town of Cape Elizabeth.

By order of Committee.

R. A. RYERSON, Secretary.

# LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Ways and Bridges will give a public hearing at their rooms in the State House. February 26, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock p. m. on petition of citizens of Maine requiring counties to support large bridges within their limits.

By order of committee.

ALBERT A. COLE, See'y.

### LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The committee on Manufactures will give a public hearing at the State House, in the Insurance commissioners office on abill entitled, an act to prevent the adulteration of candy.

Efebruary 20, 1895, at 2 p. m. FREDERICK D. WINSLOW, Secretary.

### LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The committee on Shore Fisheries, will give a public hearing at their room in the State House, Tuesday February 19, 1895, at 2.30 o'clock p. m., on bill, an action to protect the clams in the Towns of North Yarmouth, Yarmouth and Cumberland.

By order of Committee. By order of Committee. H. T. CROCKETT, Secretary.

### LEGISLATIVE NOTICE.

The Committee on Shore Fisheries, will give a public hearing at their room in the State House, Wednesday, February 27. 1895, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.. on petition of B. W. Brown et als, asking to how the law amended to that no lobster trap shall be set within 900 feet of any fish weir.

Ar act to amend Chap. 249 of the Public laws of 1893, relating to the use of purse and drag seines in state waters.

By order of Committee.

H. T. CROCKETT, Secretary.

# "WILLIS TO GRESHAM"

Important Dispatches Regarding Affairs In Honolulu.

TO DEATH FOR COMPLICITY.

Secretary Gresham Sent Instructions-A Remarkable Change of Policy by the Administration-The Dispatch Submitted to Congress and Calls Forth Pertinent Remarks From Captain Boutelle.

Washigton, February 8.-The President to day sent Congress the latest telegram from Minister Willis and Secretary Gresham's inarrections in reply, shows a more serious condition of affairs than was reported in the Press dispatches. Minister Willis to Secretary Gresham:

"Honolulu, January 30.
"The revolt was over the ninth. The pasualities were, government, one; royalits, wo. Court martial convened the 17th and tried thirty-eight cases, and two hundred more remain to be tried. There are daily arrests. Gulick, the former minister, and seward, the minister, a major in the federal army are both Americans, and hickard an Englishman are sentenced to death. All were heretofore prominent in politics. T. B. Walker, formerly in the United States army is sentenced to imprisonment for life and \$5000 fine. Other sentences are not dislosed, but probably will be death. I have equested copies of the record for our government to determine its duty before final entence, but have received no answer yet. here is bitter feeling and threats of mob violence, which the arrival of the Philadelphia yesterday may prevent. Liliuokaani was made a prisoner on the 16th, and on the 24th relinquished her claim and swore allegiance to the republic. imploring clemency for the Hawaiians. The govern-ment replies to Lilioukalani: 'This document cannot be taken to exempt you in the slightest degree from personal and individual liability for complicity in the late conspiracy.'

It denies that she had any rights since January 14th, 1893, when 'they attompted a new constitution.' It fully appreciates her call to the disaffected to recognize the republic and will give full consideration to her unselfish appeal for clemency for the participants.'

Secretary Gresham to Minister Willis:

"Washington, February 7. "If American citizens are condemned to death by military tribunal, not for actual participation in the reported revolution, but for complicity only, or if condemned wish for the execution of any person in Hawaii, and if he had advice to give the to death by such tribunal for actual participation, and not after an open and tair trial with an opportunity for defense, demand the delay of the execution. In either case report to your goverment the evidence relied on to support a death sentence.

"GRESHAM."

A CHANGE OF POLICY.

Reading of the Hawailan Correspondence in the House Provokes Mr. Boutelle to

Seaker Crisp resumed the chair and the that the message be read, and Speaker Crisp said the committee should resume its

ession. Mr. Boutelle-"It seems to me that out of espect to the Chief Magistrate, the message ought to be read."

Chairman Richarson responded that the gentleman was out in order. The committee proceeded with the approriation bill. On the adotion of Mr. Bartlett's amend ment by yea and nay vote, 112 yeas and 66 nays, a point of no quorum was made by Mr. Talbot, Democrat of South Carolina,

and attempts to procure a voting quorum failed and the committee rose. The Speaker laid before the House the correspondence relating to the Hawaiian revolt and it was read. The Speaker stated that it would be referred to the committee on foreign affairs and printed. Mr. Boutells asked if it would be in order

o move to refer the correspondence to the committee of the whole on the state of union. He moved to make the enquiry, he said, in view of the fact that the correspondence demonstrated a striking change in the public policy respecting the matter of governmental protection to citizens since January of 1891, when instructions to Admiral Birdslee respecting his actions at Honolulu were issued. In those instructions he said it stated that no citizen could claim the protection of the government who was engaged in the contest to overthrow or naintain a government of a country in which he might be living. The President demanded a stay of execution and sentence imposed against two of its citizens without even interposing a request for information. Mr. Boutelle was interrupted by several Democratic members, who demanded regu-

lar order. Mr. Boutelle said that if the gentlemen would only keep calm they would doubtless all pull through alive, and adding: "The Speaker and I are amply able to determine the pertinency of my question. I am willing to trust if you are not." (Laughter.) Is my

motion in order? The Speaker-"I think not. The correscondence will be referred to the committee on foreign affairs and printed." With this Mr. Boutelle seemed content.

The House disagreed to the Senate tions for the navigation of rivers, Larbors grees, W. clear.

Mr. Hale Points to the Hawaiian Despatches as Proof of the Necessity of a Cable.

Washington, February 8. - In the Senate today, Mr. Pettigrew offered a resolution authorizing the committee on Indian affairs to attend during the recess to the investigation ordered by the reso-AMERICAN CITIZENS CONDEMNED lution of May 13, 1890, and February

Capital Quire into the doings of the Hondura or Louislana Lottery Company in connection with politics in Florida, Sharp owned followed between Mr. Call and surfered severely.

Eastport, L. I., February S.—An unknown three-masted schooner, loaded with coal, is ashore one and one-half with own three-masted schooner, loaded with coal, is ashore one and one-half make a part of the core of the mendment appropriation bill. The hill was a part of the core of the telegraph that amendment appropriating \$500,000 as a part of the core of the telegraph that wait is liabled to the consideration of the flight and the highest flower was taken up, the pending question being on the damp of the consideration of the flight and the mendment appropriating \$500,000 as a part of the core of the telegraph that wait is liabled to the consideration of the flight and the mendment appropriating \$500,000 as a part of the core of the treath of the capital of the consideration of the flight and the property of the telegraph that the dealt sentences of the Hawalian lands.

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Hawaiian government it would be to exercise its authority in its own way, but temper it very targely with mercy.

Mr. Hale recalled the magnaminity of the American government during and after the civil war, and said the execution of the aventuation of the aventuation of the aventuation is the aventuation of the aven will be taken at 2.30 tomerrow. The Senate, at 5.45, adjourned.

# Washington, February 8.-The House went AN ELABORATE FINANCIAL SCHEME. No electric cars were run all day.

nessage was received. Mr. Boutelle asked full. The sale of bonds to proceed until the gold in treasury shall exceed \$400,000,000 declared that it would not be in order, and and not exceed \$450,000,000. As iong as any bonds of this issue remain unissued the gold in the treasury is to be kept at \$400,000,000. The issue of notes redeemable in gold and silver respectively is provided for and all other currency is discontinued.

### THE WEATHER.

Fair and Colder.

much colder at Eastport. Signals displayed on the Atlantic coast coast from Eastport to Wilmington and at Key West.

### Local Weather Report

Portland, Me., Feb. 8-The local Weather Bureau office records as to the weather the following: 8 a.m.-Barometer, 28.697: thermometer

12.0; dew point, 12; humidity, 100; wind, NE; velocity, 26; snow. 8 p. m.-Barometer, 28.951; thermometer, -0.6; dew point 0; humidity, 94; wind, SW; velocity 21; weather, clear, Mean daily thermometer, 12.0; maximum thermometer, 23.0; minimum thermometer,

#### 0.6: maximum velocity of wind, 36; NE; total precipitation, 0.50 Weather Observations.

The following are the observations for the Agricultural Department Weather Bureau for yesterday, February 8, taken at 8 p. m. meridian time, the observations for each station being g ven in this order. Temperature, direction of the wind, state of the weather:

Boston, 2 degrees, W. clear; New York, degrees, NW, cloudy; Philadelphia, 6 degrees, W. cloudy; Washington, 8 degrees, W. cloudy; Albany, zero, W, partly cloudy; Buffalo, -2 degrees, NW, snowing; Detroit, degrees, NW, cloudy; Chicago, -2 degrees, NW, clear; St. Paul -2 degrees, SW, clear; St. Vincent, -1 degrees, N. clear; Huron, Dak., zero; SE, partly cloudy; Bismarck, amendments to the bill establishing regula. -16 degrees, NW, clear; Jacksonville, 26 de-

A Destructive Tidal Wave Swept The Coast.

SCORES OF BUILDINGS WASHED

Gioucester, Mass., February 8.—The captain and crew of the schooner John E. McKenzie say the steamer they saw throp and took a train for Boston. Mr. Hale of Maine said the tragic and melancholy results foreshadowed in those despatches showed the imperative necessity of having a cable between the United States and the Hawaiian Islands. Such a cable would have averted or postponed the impending tragedy.

Mr. Frye of Maine remarked that it would be ten days at least before President Cleveland's instructions to Mr. Willis would reach him, and in the meantime the prisoner might be hanged. The message and despatches were referred to the committee on foreign affairs.

Gloucester, Mass., February 8.—The captain and crew of the schooner John E. McKenzie say the steamer they saw about dark last evening steering south-southwest, came quite near, but they could not make out her name. She was steaming slowly, and was about 14 miles south of Thatcher's. They thought at the time that it was the Teutonic.

Captain McLeod, of the schooner Fannie W. Freeman, who was in the locality of the McKenzie, believes her crew was

LIME SHEDS FLOODED

Rockland's Fire Department Busy-Two Women Overcome by the Storm.

after the civil war, and said the execution of the revolutionists in Hawaii would be following the methods of Mexico, Central America and South America. The result of it would be to turn away what now was almost the universal sentiment of the American people in favor of the existing government in Hawaii. The bill went over, and a vote will be taken at 3 30 tomorrow.

Accelerate, Mex. February 8.—February 8.—Feb storm here today was very severe, and a from the West and signalled for a pilot, but out this morning , but there was practically no damage to the buildings by fire. About 500 casks of lime were destroyed.

#### GREAT DESTRUCTION. Stores and Fish Houses Washed Away at Cape Breton.

Halifax, N.S., February 8 .- The folwires are all down and buried in the Island shore near the lighthouse. Their wires are all down and buried in the rocks from Ferry to Bankers, half a mile distant. The paler are broken and buried in the clothing had from one to two inches of ice on it. The capain thinks that the four men mile distant. The poles are broken and Boston, February 8.-Local forecast for have disappeared. Twenty-two houses

# Barges Went Ashore.

### New York Central Tied Up.

New York, February 8.—The through train service on the New York Central, was temporarily interrupted by the storm and resumed with the departure of the North Shore limited at 4.30 this after-North Shore limited at 4.30 this afternoon. Every effort will be made to get
a train through to Chicago without delay. Local trains on the Hudson River
division are running regularly. It is
expected that tomorrow all through
trains on this line will be running as usual.

Shape.

and inland waters and agreed to conference. The House adjourned.

DANAGED BY THE GALE.

far west as Pittsburg, is seriously crippled today because of the snow drifts. In some places, particularly at Mifflin, 49 miles west of Harrisburg, the snow

drifts are as high as the car tops. A few trains on the various divisions departed from Philadelphia this morning, but drifts interrupted their progress at intervals of every few miles.

The Reading road is in bad shape, particularly at Reading and in the coal regions.

Terrible Charge.

It Drifted at Worcester.

Worcester, Mass., February S.—The storm has nearly tied up all the electric lines. The trains from the west were two and three hours late. The snow drifted a great deal, and the highway department had a large force of men out all day. The mercury has dropped from 10 degrees above zero to nearly zero.

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Mr. White, of California, said he did not believe those sentences were imposed with a view of being carried out. If any of the prisoners were American citizens, and they were tried and found guilty by the tribunal, he thought it the duty of our government to interfere.

Mr. Davis said the United States must have a cable to Hawaii for the centralization of the navy of the Pacific.

He said England was seeking to get possession of Pearl Harbor, which had been assigned by the treaty to the United States as a naval station.

Mr. Hale protested against what he thought it the duty of our government of Hawaii contained in Mr. Morgan's speech. He said the execution of any of those condemned me would be deplorable, both for the effect in the islands and the effect on public sentment in this country.

Mr. Morgan replied that he had no wish for the execution of any person in Hawaii, nowers in the scill blowing heavily, but the vessels and sand the effect on public sentment in this country.

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Halifax, N. S., February 8.-Shortly after the steamer Alpha arrived this morning a violent gale with blinding snow begar. The Rockland, Me., February 8.-The signal station reports that a steamer ran in

from all ports indicate continued zero

soon struck the west bank on a shoal be-tween Swinburne and Hoffman islands. Four of the sailors, contrary to the orders of the captain, launched a dory and put off. from a terrible stomach trouble, and there is a rumor to the effect that Mrs. Cowan The captain and four others remained on The told a neighbor that Dr. Merrill had inthe vessel until two this morning. vessel was then going to pieces. The captain formed her that if her husbahd died, that lowing was received by mail at English- and four sailors launched a second dory case would be investigated. Cowan didn't town, C.B., from the station agent at and drifted around, and were finally caught die. The case is expected to create the South Ingonish, C.B.: "The telegraph in the current and swung to the Staten greatest interest here owing to its general-

#### who put off in the first boat were drowned. A Crippled Crew.

New England for Saturday: Fair, continued cold; nigh westerly winds.

Washington, February 8.—Forecast for Saturday for Maine: Snow, followed by fair in the atternoon; west or northwest gales; much colder at Eastport. Signals displayed

A Crippled Crew.

Providence, R. 1., February 8.—Pilot Eaton of Saunderstown, said tonight that in the thirty-eight years of his experience above is the result of Tuesday's storm." this morning. About nine this morning he sighted the schooner Eagle, probably from Newport, R. I., February 8.—The barges Banter and Baltimore went ashore at the torpedo station this morning, and were hauled off this afternoon after some pumping by a tug. They were on a gravelly shore and probably are not injured. They are badly iced, and their decks are just above the water. New York, coming in to anchor. She is apwhen entering the harbor. This leads to the supposition that something is the matter with the crew.

THE SINKING OF THE ELBE.

Inquiry of the Aberdeen Board of Trade Regarding the Collision.

London, February 8.-The crew of the British steamer Crathie, which sunk the North German Lloyds steamer Elbe, now Hartford, Conn., February 8.—The snow storm abated this noon and the sun came out, but the cold increased in intensity, and the wind continued to blow a gale. No trolley cars are able to reach West Hartford, four miles out, or Glastonbury, eight miles southeast, owing to the drifts. The local mail carriers are compelled ot omit the early morning delivery, on account of the severity of the storm.

North German Lloyds steamer Elbe, now at Aberdeen, where they are being examined by a commissioner of the board of trade. Those examined today stated that after the collision the lights of the Elne were seen nearly three-quarters of a mile away. At that time it was believed on board the Crathie that her engines were still working. Distress rockets were seen, but no explosion was rockets were seen, but no explosion was Snow Leaves the Reading System in Bad heard during the two hours occupied by the Crathie's crew in clearing away the Philadelphia, February 8.—The entire Pennsylvania railroad system, from New York to Washington in the east, and as wreckage on their own vessel. After

# AN ALLEGED POISONER.

PRICE THREE CENTS.

strange, it having been noised about that shreds of membrane as large as a silver quarter had passed from his stomach. Through the efforts of Deputy Sheriff W. H. Toothaker the remains were disinterred, an autopsy performed and the vital organs sent away for analysis. Since then nothing has been heard of the case except the increasing gossip of the neighbors, until yesterday, when the county attorney placed the evidence in his possession before the grand jury. Its nature is not known, but it will suffice to say that an indictment was quickly found, specially reported to the court, an extremely rare proceeding, and a capias was issued upon which Mrs. Cowan was arrested and hurried to a cell in the county jail. Up to this time she has maintained a half defiant, half injured attitude, and has announced her determination of taking legal action against her accusers at home and abroad. Today, when lodged in jail, she completely lost heart and wept bitterly.

#### STRANGE CAREER.

Mrs. Cowan's strange career will not operate in her favor just now. If she is innocent she is the victim of a most remarkable chain of adverse circumstances. At the age of twenty, seventeen years ago, she married Willis W. Bean, a young farmer, who lived near her own rural home at Plymouth. He became interested in the study of medicine, and she dabbled in it to some extent until they finally went to Ohio to pursue a course at a medical school. Before their departure, however, their three small children died in quick succession, and of the same complaint. A year or two later Dr. Bean died, and with apparently the same trouble which carried away his children Mrs. Bean came home and after a brief period of mourning married George H. Taylor of Plymouth, a rugged laboring man, and they went to Lewiston to live. In 1891, Taylor died after an illness of only four weather with heavy winds. At 11.30 p. m., days, of the same description which had signals of distress from a three masted been common to the woman's former family. days, of the same description which had

schooner near the breakwater were shown. There was grievous disappointment on her policy on Taylor's life had lap sed, and that she would get nothing from it. A few months more of mourning and she married Elias Cowan, and the first startling event after these new relations was when Cowan's full set of farm buildings was burned. The neighbors claimed that when they reached the scene of the fire to render such assistance as might be necessary, they found the family clothing, dishes and other effects all tied up in bundles ready to be carried out. Willie Cowan, they say, had been abused by his stepmother, all sorts of petty hardships being inflicted upon him, and a Plymouth man told a Bangor reporter that Dr. Marrill barely saved Cowan, himself, from death a short time ago. The Doctor announced one day that Cowan was suffering

#### ly complicated nature, and the bac character which has been given Mrr

Cowan.

A STERN CHASE. Japanese Warships Reported in Pursuit of Chinese Torpedo Boats.

London, February 8.-A despatch to the Globe from Chee Foo says that sevreal Japanese warships passed that place February 7th, in pursuit of two torpedo hoats, on hoard of which it is believed Admirals Ting and Maclure are escaping from Wei-Hai-Wei. It is reported that the torpedo boats were overtaken and sank.

The Senate yesterday confirmed the following nomination: Herbert W. Bow-en, to be consul general at Barcelona,



A cream of tartar baking powder Highest of all in leavening strength-Latest United States Government Food Report.

Royal Baking Powder

106 WALL ST., N. T.